

Sinclair Broadcasting's (or any other broadcasting entity) decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation. Nor should a single station be allowed to use the public airwaves for such partisan objectives, regardless of their political position.

We're counting on and expecting the FCC to stand up for the principles of democracy that allow for freedom of speech within the boundaries of the laws that protect everyone and not simply a few. That protection is truly one of the hallmarks of democracy rather than a totalitarian state.

Thank you for taking the pro-active steps to preserve the inheritance from our wise ancestors, whether they lived 2 centuries ago before usage of airwaves was an issue or within the last decade when the stipulations of the law became all the more crucial.